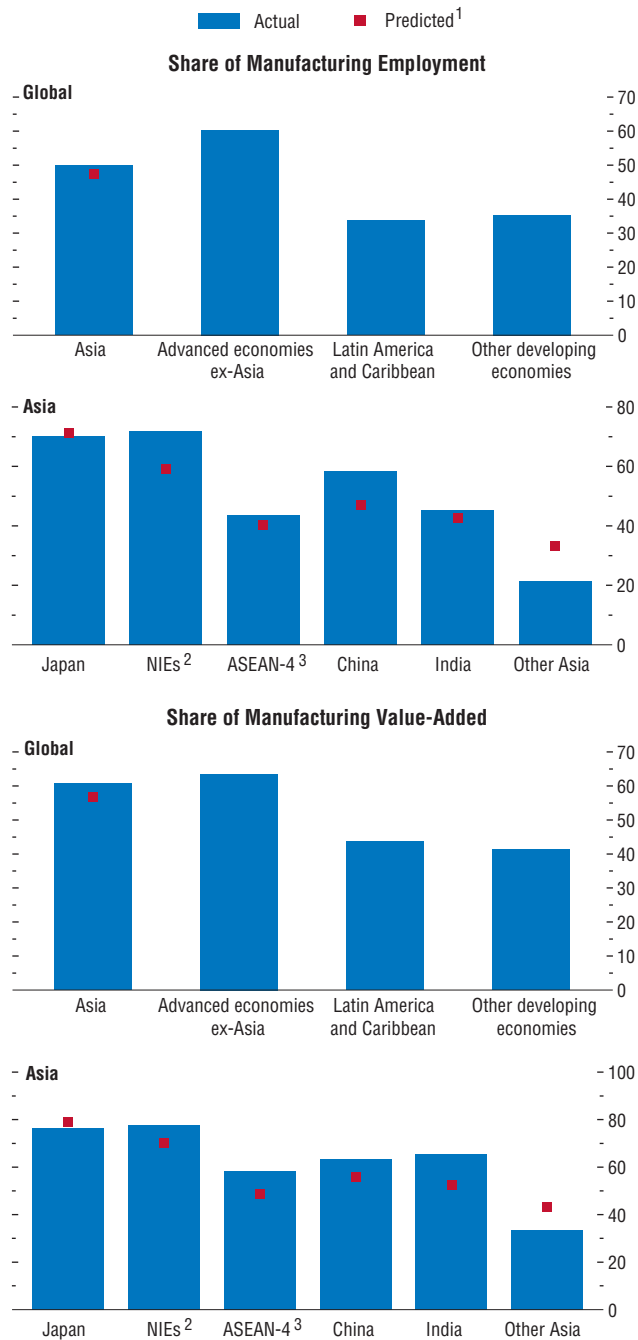


### Figure 3.10. Skill-Intensive Manufacturing Sectors: Employment and Value-Added Shares

(Percent, latest available year)

Asia stands out as having a large share of manufacturing value-added and employment in skill-intensive sectors. This holds compared both to Latin America and, in some instances, to the levels that would be predicted based on fundamentals.



Sources: World Bank, *World Development Indicators* (2006); and IMF staff calculations.  
<sup>1</sup> Based on a regression including initial income per capita, country size, and population.  
<sup>2</sup> Newly industrialized economies.  
<sup>3</sup> ASEAN-4 includes Indonesia, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand.